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BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY

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The Intercollegiate Debating Team is pictured above. From the left they are, first row, Thomas T. Pogue—1932-33 team captain; Russell H. Miller—debate coach; Catherine Hopper—team recorder. In the second row, from left, are Harmon Naberhuis, James Bryant, Tommy Nail, and James B. Jones.

## Western Meets Murray To Open Debate Season

Western's Intercollegiate Debating team saw action for the first time this year when they met Murray State College at chapel in Van Meter Auditorium last Wednesday. This exchange of ideas in debate form opened Western's season of eight intercollegiate debates. In the coming weeks, Western plans to meet Murray, Centre College, the University of Louisville, and the University of Kentucky in their annual series of exchange debates.

The national intercollegiate 1932-33 debate topic, "Resolved: That the Congress of the United States should enact a compulsory Fair Employ-

ment Practices Act," will be used throughout the series.

At the 10 a.m. Wednesday chapel session in Van Meter Auditorium, Western's affirmative team, composed of William E. Blvin, Paducah, and Thomas T. Pogue, Bowling Green, engaged Murray's negative team, Catherine Hopper, Princeton, acted as chairman. Dr. Earl Moore, Professor of English at Western, criticized the non-decision debate. At the 2 p.m. Wednesday Little Theater session in the Library Building, Murray's affirmative team debated Western's negative team composed of Catherine Hopper and H. R. Naberhuis of Bowling Green. Western English professor, Willson Wood, made the critique. The student body and visitors at Western were invited to both sessions as will be the case for all of Western's intercollegiate exchange debates.

Practice debates were held Monday in the Little Theater at 7 p.m. as a program for the Congress Debating club, which, according to tradition, is the Hill's oldest club. Its meetings are held every second and fourth Monday of the month. James B. Jones, Bowling Green, served as the program chairman. Mr. Willson Wood, the sponsor

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## Students Exhibit Art Work

A student exhibition was presented in the "Gallery" room 300 in Cherry Hall. The exhibit consisted of works in black and white only. The medium of application was pencil, pen, and scratchboard technique.

Those having entries were Charles Lampton, Hal Gomer, Phyllis Blakeman, Betty Schroer, Sanford Cox, Eleanor Barton, Paul Koenen, Dave Schroeder, Charlotte Meers, and Bob Richardson. Other exhibits will be shown in the future, and the art department would like to give an invitation to all students, laymen, and followers of art to visit them.

## Pop Concert To Be Given This Sunday By Band

The Western Concert Band, under the direction of Dr. Hugh Gundersen, will make its first appearance of the year in a Pop Concert this coming Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in Van Meter auditorium. This will be considered a "Pop Concert" since the band has not had much time to prepare for it.

The concert band plans to present several concerts on the Hill as well as several at the surrounding high schools of the state. According to the partially scheduled program, the band will present several entertaining concerts.

Sunday's program will consist of several light and entertaining numbers which will include: El Capitan march, by Sousa; Choral March and

Pique, by Guilmant; Five American Folk Songs, by Siegmeyer, including Sourwood Mountain, Doney Gal, The Monkey's Wedding, Black is the Color of My True Love's Hair, and M'sieu Balajo; Yavari Peruano, dance of Latin America, by Delgadillo; Siciliano, by Bach; On The Trail, by Grofe; Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral, by Wagner; trombone trio, Silvery Gentlemen, by Walters; The Last Spring, by Grieg; Rumbalita, by Yoder; and Echoes from the Western Stadium, a medley of some of the music used by the Western Marching Band during the recent football season.

The band cordially invites the public to hear the concert with no charge for admission.

## Odnoposoff Presents Third Concert

Ricardo Odnoposoff presented the third Community Concert attraction of the season in Van Meter auditorium last night.

Numbers on his program were Grave, by J. S. Bach; Variations in E minor, by Joseph Joachim; Rondo, by Mozart; Concerto in A minor, Opus 37, No. 5 (in one movement); by Henri Viennemps; Elegie, by Rachmaninoff; and Ritual Fire Dance, by Palla.

A native of Buenos Aires, Argentina, Mr. Odnoposoff is the most renowned violin virtuoso of modern times.

Mr. Odnoposoff has played with practically every major orchestra and conductor of Europe, South America, North America, and now Australia. Last year he established a new record by giving 115 recitals in one season and appearing as guest soloist with 37 leading orchestras, proving him one of the most sought-after violin virtuosos before the American public.

At his American debut in Carnegie Hall, 1944, he was hailed by the New York Times as "one of the most outstanding violinists of the day." Since then audiences throughout the United States and Canada have had the opportunity to confirm that judgment for themselves. He now records exclusively for RCA Victor, although record collectors had known him for quite some time on both His Master's Voice and Columbia Records.

## HENDERSON HONORS JIMMY FEIX

Western's Little All-American football player, Jimmy Feix, was guest of honor at a banquet Monday night in Henderson. The banquet was sponsored by "The Henderson Gleaner and Journal" and by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Jimmy received many fine gifts solemnly expressing Hendersonians' esteem for him.

The main speaker at the banquet was Bernie Crimmins, head football coach at Indiana University. Others on the program included Jack Clayton, Turner Ego, and Frank Griffin, football coaches of Western.

After four years, one performance kind of fades into another. There are two moments in Jimmy's career firmly etched in the memory of all Western football fans.

1—That final 10-second pass that beat Eastern here in 1930.

2—That long pass with two minutes to go that wrecked Murray's supreme bid for victory last fall.

They are among the great athletic moments in Western's football history.

## Miss Anderson Attends Meeting In Washington

Miss Frances Anderson, of the History department, attended the 67th annual meeting of the American Historical Association held at Washington, D. C., December 28, 29 and 30.

Among the many historians and teachers present for the three-day meeting was Jean Keith, AB '42, now working toward a doctorate at Johns Hopkins University.

Included on the convention program was a variety of discussions on world-wide historical themes.

The most provocative topic of the meeting came with the address of Arthur E. Bestor, Jr., University of Illinois history professor. Mr. Bestor charged that professional educators are watering down the teaching curricula in public schools in a narrow-minded pursuit of "life adjustment."

The historian asked a panel of fellow historians to support a resolution against the trend of "anti-intellectualism." However, the resolution was to a committee for further consideration.

## Foundation Celebrates 30th Year Of Service

The College Heights Foundation is celebrating the thirtieth year of service to the students of Western, according to an announcement from the Foundation office.

In 1923 Dr. H. H. Cherry, the founder of Western, established a Student Loan Fund to aid students in their quest for an education at Western. The chief financial basis for the beginning of the Student Loan Fund was the money pledged to it by the members of the Western faculty on March 26, 1923. It was decided at that time that two per cent of their salaries for the next five years should be given to the Student Loan Fund.

When first established, the Student Loan Fund was placed under the management of a corporation known as the College Heights Foundation. Since that time it has operated only under the jurisdiction of this foundation.

A synopsis of the Articles of Incorporation of the College Heights Foundation lists three objectives as follows:

1. Its purpose is primarily to create a fund derived from voluntary gifts whereby all worthy and deserving students of Western Kentucky State College may be aided and assisted in their efforts to obtain an education but who are unable to meet the necessary expenses, its purpose being to help themselves, by loaning them money from the fund, but who are not willing to accept charity.

2. Stimulating interest in and aiding in the construction of a group of memorial buildings in memory of the boys who gave their lives for freedom.

3. The creation of a fund to be invested in safe and interest-bearing securities, the interest on this fund to be used for the creation of scholarships and providing for the emergency needs of the institution.

The College Book Store is operated as a part of the College Heights Foundation and is an important source of income. James L. Hall has served as manager of the bookstore for the past 20 years.

The executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Foundation is Mr. Roy H. Seward. Mr. Seward has served in this capacity since the foundation was started in 1923. The foundation is under the supervision of twelve directors. These directors are Dr. Paul L. Bell, Sterrett Cuthbertson, George Duncan, Charles L. Taylor, Dr. C. C. Howard, Sam H. Allen, J. P. Masters, Gaston Cole, James M. Hill, H. R. Matthews, Mr. Seward and Mrs. Matthews are the only charter members of the directors.

The foundation has put thousands

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## New Club Is Organized On Hill

A social Science club has been organized recently at Western under the supervision of Mr. W. C. Lawton, head of the Economics and Sociology department.

The constitution adopted by the club states in part: "It is the purpose of this club to foster better relations between students and faculty members of the Social Science department."

Any student with a major or minor in the social science field is eligible for membership.

Officers elected for the current year include Neal Tucker, president; Hamilton Alford, vice-president; Gracie Phillips, secretary-treasurer; Leon Jackson, sergeant-at-arms; and Bill Bennett, reporter.

## 37 Seniors To Receive Degrees

Thirty-seven are listed by E. H. Canon, registrar, as candidates for degrees at the end of his semester.

Those receiving the BS degree are: Vernie Dorville, Ashby, Hartford; Charles J. Bassett, Beech Creek; Charles O. Blair, Owensboro; Donald Dearing, Louisville; Earl N. Duncan, Louisville; Robert Anthony Elmer, Louisville; Brown Hayes, Central City; William O. Jackson, Hawesville; Doty Nuckolls Lindsey, Glasgow; Charles A. Livingston, Hanson.

John S. McIntosh, Cleveland, Tenn.; Charles W. Martin, Jr., Princeton; Erby L. Redford, Glasgow; Mrs. R. L. Renfrow, Horse Branch; Earl O. Shive, Summer Shade; Dewey Lee Smith, Louisville; Doris Jean Sullivan, Louisville; Kenneth Wallace Tackett, Bowling Green; Loyd K. Tarter, Brownsville; Claude Manuel Wilkerson, Henderson; and Martin Wayne Wilson, Sebree.

Those receiving the AB degree are: Harry Franklin Bagby, Morganfield; Betty Lamb Carr, Providence; Donald A. Chapman, Massena, New York; Lawrence Whitely Cole, Bowling Green; Glen C. Edelen, Bowling Green; Thomas Hal Gomer, Bowling Green; Bobby Green, Milburn; Ruth Farran Green, Malverne, New York.

Walter Green, Malverne, New York; Carl McCubbin, Summersville; Joseph Allison Murphy, Jr., Stearns; Ann Cherokee Sherry, Paducah; Mary Frances Taylor, Calhoun; Eunie Wallace, Hopkinsville; and Ray Davis Woodruff, Princeton.

## Gwenda Davies Plays Lead In Play Due February 5

Members of the Western staff and Western students figure prominently in the Bowling Green Community Theater's second major production of the season. First, there is Russell H. Miller of the English faculty who serves as producing director. In the cast, Gwenda J. Davies, exchange teacher from Wales, is a member of the College High faculty this year. Jean Topmiller, recently seen in Western Players' "The Heiress," is a sophomore at Western. Charlotte Harwood is a member of this year's senior class at College High. Both George Ann Lowe and Robert Fox are former students of Western. Kay Lavery plays the other sustaining role.

"Ladies in Retirement" is the current selection. It is scheduled for presentation in Van Meter Auditorium on February 5. This production of the Community Theater will also be co-sponsored by the



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Gwenda Davies



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## Trying

The first semester of the school year 1952-53 has rolled along to a near-conclusion as this edition goes to press. Amid a mild but effective spread of flu germs and sudden studying, we on the Hill will be facing final exams next week. How much you have put into your daily studying will decide how much time you must spend cramming.

Along with the importance that is attached to passing academic courses is the importance of becoming adjusted to life — college life in particular. If you have tried to be the hey-day, happy-go-lucky who finds college the place to spend Pop's money and see how little you can consume scholastically, you've missed out on the spirit of Western. But if you've let books fill in where friends should be, try combining the two into pleasant proportions.

In trying to divide your life into periods of study and fun, don't add up the hours spent in class and studying, and the time left for recreation and force them to come out even or to fit some fixed proportion. It won't work. You may not be able to play as much as some; you may have to study less than others. Find your own tempo. Chances are, if you permit neither straight A's nor straight parties to become all-important, your life will adjust itself.

If in this semester, you were dissatisfied in your studies and social life, try harder to win in the next. College is only one phase of our road in life. And only you can make it pleasant or unpleasant.

## In Tribute

A tribute to Sarah Smith by Margie Helm, librarian.

Western has lost a good worker and the librarians a good friend in Sarah Smith. She was intelligent, energetic, and conscientious. She was a cheerful Christian, and it was a pleasure to have her as a co-worker. The library staff and the students will miss her helpfulness and her cheerfulness.

Sarah Smith died December 31, 1952, from an operation at the City-County hospital. Mrs. Smith was born in November, 1907, in Alabama. She was married to the Rev. J. E. Smith, pastor of the Negro Baptist Church at Rockfield. Mrs. Smith served as maid at Western from August, 1951, to December, 1952.

## Delightful Confusion

When you turned the radio on the other night did you think that everyone was talking and saying nothing? Maybe so — but everyone was enthusiastic over that big sale, The Radio Auction, in its sixth year here, is the entirely different way that Bowling Green has of raising funds for the March of Dimes.

The Auction has anything that you need — cookies — home-made candy — cigarettes — cold drinks — smoked hams — anything your heart and pocket book desire.

The March of Dimes has set no quota for this campaign, as last year it depleted its entire funds fighting the worst epidemic in the history of our nation. The Bowling Green chapter expresses its gratitude for the generous donations that Western has made in the past, and hopes that, when each student hears the ringing of the bell that closes all Radio Auction sales, that student will hear a ringing in his mind — "Fight Polio."

## Coming Events

- January 17, Saturday — Basketball: Western vs. Eastern at Richmond.
- January 18, Sunday — Western Band concert, Van Meter Auditorium 3:30 p. m.
- January 19, Monday — Final examinations begin, 8 a. m.  
Education Council, Kentucky Building, 7 p. m.
- January 21, Wednesday — Geography Club, Kentucky Building, 7 p. m.
- January 22, Thursday — French club, Cedar House, 9 a. m.
- January 22, Thursday — Hilltoppers meet University of Miami, at Miami.
- January 22, Thursday — Geography club, Kentucky Building, 7 p. m.
- January 22, Thursday — First semester ends.
- January 24, Saturday — Western plays Loyola of the South, there.
- January 26, Monday — Basketball: Western vs. University of Tampa, Tampa, at Tampa.
- January 26-27, Monday and Tuesday — Freshmen and Sophomore registration, 8 a. m.
- January 28, Wednesday — Second semester begins.
- January 31, Saturday — Hilltoppers play university of Tampa at Gumnasium, 7:30 p. m.

## FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Final examination schedule: First semester, January, 1952-53 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, January 19-22, 1953.

Final examinations, two periods in length, will be given in all courses at the end of the present semester, according to an announcement from the Dean's office.

The examinations will be held in the regular classrooms and at the hours indicated in the examination schedule unless a special arrangement has been made in advance with the Dean of the College. No changes of any kind will be possible except in cases of emergency.

All classes will meet according to schedule until noon Saturday, January 17. Classes will not meet during the regular examination period January 19-22 inclusive.

Please note that examination periods have been arranged according to class periods and course credits. For example, in courses meeting on Monday at 8:00 a. m. and carrying credits of three or more

hours, the examination will be held from 8:00-9:40 a. m.

### Conflicts Will Occur

With our present plan of scheduling courses, a few conflicts in examination periods will occur. Teachers should report these to the Dean's office for adjustment and then notify their students of whatever changes may be necessary. The schedule follows:

Monday, January 19			
8:00	3 to 5 hours	8:00	9:40
9:00	1/2 to 2 hours	10:00	11:40
9:00	3 to 5 hours	1:00	2:40
10:00	1/2 to 2 hours	10:00	11:40
Tuesday, January 20			
8:00	3 to 5 hours	8:00	9:40
9:00	1/2 to 2 hours	10:00	11:40
10:00	3 to 5 hours	1:00	2:40
11:00	3 to 5 hours	1:00	2:40
11:00	1/2 to 2 hours	3:00	4:40
Wednesday, January 21			
1:00	3 to 5 hours	8:00	9:40
1:00	1/2 to 2 hours	10:00	11:40
2:00	3 to 5 hours	1:00	2:40
2:00	1/2 to 2 hours	3:00	4:40
Thursday, January 22			
3:00	3 to 5 hours	8:00	9:40
3:00	1/2 to 2 hours	10:00	11:40

## Charles Shields Returns From Trip Abroad

By Nancy Atkinson

Charles Porter Shields, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vonley Shields, of Cromwell, has returned from abroad and will continue his education here next semester. Mr. Shields is an English major and will graduate in August.

Mr. Shields, who went to England and Wales as an International Farm Youth Exchange student, sailed from New York on June 10 and arrived back in that seaport on November 11.

He docked at South Hampton, England, June 20, remained in England six weeks, then went to Wales for a month. On October 20, he went to Ireland for five days and then to Scotland for a similar period.

On October 30, he crossed the English channel to the Netherlands and later went up the Rhine river to Cologne, Germany, thence to Basel, Switzerland. Returning through Paris, France, he embarked at Le Havre, France, for the return trip home.

Mr. Shields confessed that he liked England best because of the ease with which he could converse with the people. In Scotland he experienced some difficulty in understanding the brogue. Little English is spoken in Wales.

When asked about his social life

while in Great Britain, Mr. Shields said that he had some enjoyable times, some of the best being at meetings and socials of the Young Farmers club.

The movies have given Britishers a wrong impression of Americans, he pointed out. They think citizens of this country are all rich and every home has its cocktail hour. Most farm families offered him liquor and time after time he had to explain that a great many of his fellow U. S. citizens do not drink intoxicants.

Shields brought back many memories. For instance he snapped a picture of Queen Elizabeth. He visited Buckingham Palace, the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, Windsor Castle, Shakespeare's birthplace, George Bernard Shaw's residence, the home of some of George Washington's ancestors, and Winchester, the ancient capital of England.

He believes that church attendance in America far exceeds such attendance in Britain.

Although thoroughly enjoying his trip, Mr. Shields is more firmly convinced than ever that the United States is the best place in the world to live.

## Grizzly Bears And Big Talk Are Just The Thing "In Alaska"

By Herbert Ginger

Recently R. W. Hamilton, a Western graduate now living in Fairbanks, Alaska, sent Dr. Gordon Wilson a letter to which was attached a clipping from the newspaper Midnight Sun. The clipping contained a ten stanza poem entitled "In Alaska."

Mr. Hamilton wrote the poem with the intention of using it in a series of lectures on morale to be given to American servicemen. "In Alaska" follows the same metric pattern as does "In Kentucky." The author admits that his poem was written while he reflected upon the poem about Kentucky. However, his poem is not without merit. Mr. Hamilton's knack for painting

pictures with words immediately strikes the reader.

The Midnight Sun is a small servicemen's newspaper. Therefore the poet has done no harm to the original poem, and, at the same time, he has given a good many chuckles in writing it. Here is a stanza from the poem:

Spruce and tundra grow the green  
In Alaska  
Grizzly bears behave the mean-  
est  
In Alaska  
Hills are highest and the steep-  
est  
And the rivers run the deepest  
and the big talk comes the  
cheapest  
In Alaska.



By Bob Richardson

It seems a coven's age since all of us were at home enjoying those turkeys and trimmings. Next week we will be enjoying trimmings of a different sort. The test schedule for final exams is in this edition. Starting Monday, we will roll out our catalog of knowledge, and answer, or not answer, grade-shaking questions.

My only advice on the subject is to hope that you have studied daily in your courses. If you have not, you had better stay indoors for this week and start the pages flying. This is one week-end when Lana Turner and that favorite game of pool will have to wait.

In the last edition I wrote a book review and biographical sketch of "The Cradle of the Sun" and its author, John Henry Clagett. Somewhere along the line, the Mayan Indians were transformed into the Malayan Indians. This is a regretful error, for Mr. Clagett's thorough research involved study of the Indians of the Yucatan and not the tribe mentioned in the story.

Speaking of errors, in one of our past editions we referred to Mr. Groom as Mrs. Groom, and where we should have mentioned Mrs. Groom, Mr. Groom came through. After reading the article, I wasn't certain as to whether Mr. Groom was Mrs. Groom or vice-versa.

I wonder how many of you noticed an advertisement that was posted on the bulletin board just before the Christmas holidays. If you have ever had journalism or a course in advertising, I'm sure you have had statistics shown to you to prove that smart advertisements pay.

Mary Taylor, a student here on the Hill, proved that such ads can get results. Mary, as you may know, is the friend of every stray dog that takes up residence on campus. It seems that one of her proteges, a collie mixed-breed, would have been in danger of starving while Mary went home over the holidays. So Mary posted the following ad on the bulletin board:

### "Christmas Gift"

"Will someone living on a farm who can use a good dog and provide transportation for him please see me? I have been feeding the campus collie since last February. During the Holidays he may starve and/or freeze, if someone doesn't take him home. His energy that is consumed in chasing cars can be spent in a safe and serviceable activity—bringing up the cows. I shall be glad to sign over my interest in him to anyone who is interested enough in his welfare to give him a good home."

The ad paid off for Mary. Presumably, Mr. Collie is happily chasing cows on the farm of a fellow student who took the dog to where he will probably enjoy the remainder of his life breathing fresh air and expending his energy in service.

## Musical Notes

By Martha Wade

The Music department Christmas party was a huge success, thanks to the many who had a part in planning it. The party was held December 18 at the Kentucky Building.

Many of the members of the music faculty spent the holidays away from Bowling Green. Fortunately none of them were snowbound, so classes started as usual Monday.

The Band's Pop Concert Sunday should provide plenty of enjoyment for everybody. Just come to Van Meter Sunday afternoon at 3:30 and relax and listen.

Walt Green is the department's only graduating senior this semester. He gave his senior recital last Monday night and he and his wife are leaving for New York at the end of exam week. We certainly will miss him in the band, orchestra, and the woodwind quintet as well as around the campus.

Music majors are brushing up on their piano technique for piano exams which are scheduled for the end of this month. The keyboards are really groaning with the extra practice.

About 40 students in music classes caroled around the business section of Bowling Green before Christmas. Mrs. Nelle Gooch Travelstead initiated the idea in her classes and others were invited to participate. They caroled at the hospital, the jail, and in some of the stores.

Bonja Gunderson spent six days at home during the holidays. She has been in Vanderbilt hospital undergoing treatment for polio, but last Saturday she was brought to her home to stay. Her parents, Dr. Hugh Gunderson, head of the music department, and Mrs. Gunderson, are continuing therapy at home and report that she is progressing.

## Looking Backward

ONE YEAR AGO—Major William N. Pace, Jr., PAS&T at Western, is promoted to lieutenant colonel. . . . Kelly Thompson takes office as Kwanza governor.

TWO YEARS AGO—Miss Susie West McClanahan of the library staff passes away. . . . Technical Sgt. Louis Brookins joins Air Force R.O.T.C. staff. . . . Miss Margie Helm elected "Bowling Green Career Woman of 1950". . . . Griffith L. Gordon, former member of the faculty, was killed in a traffic accident.

THREE YEARS AGO—W. Arch Bennet of Frankfort made business manager of Western, January 1. . . . Eight of the faculty listed in Who's Who of The Scientific Field.



## Army ROTC Unit Receives New Instructor

1st Lt. Samuel E. Pfefferkorn has been assigned to the Army ROTC Unit at Western.

He will instruct the Senior class in the absence of 1st Lt. Col. George H. Sibbald, professor of military science and tactics at Western, who is now attending the General Staff Officers Course at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

A native of Maryland, Lieutenant Pfefferkorn graduated from high school at Labon, Md., and graduated from the University of Maryland in 1947. He entered the service as a second lieutenant in June, 1947. During World War II Lieutenant Pfefferkorn served at Fort Benning Ga., Camp Shelby, Miss., and Trinidad, British West Indies. He was discharged in June, 1946, and called back to active duty in March, 1951, serving at Indian Town Gap, Penn., with the 5th Inf. Div.

Lieutenant Pfefferkorn was sent overseas to the Far East Command where he served in Korea with the 7th Inf. Reg. of the 3rd Div. He returned to the United States in November, 1952, and was assigned for duty with the Kentucky Military District before coming to Western.

He is a recipient of the Combat Infantry Badge, Korean Theater and World War II Ribbons, the Victory Medal, and the United Nations Medal.

Lieutenant Pfefferkorn resides in Bowling Green, with his wife, Ethel, at 1327 College Street.

## 1940 College High Grads Entertained

Dr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Graham entertained with a tea Sunday afternoon, Dec. 28, at their home, 346 Sumpter Ave., for members of the 1940 graduating class of College High.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Fox of Sellersburg, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Austin McGubb Mrs. Reginald Kirby, Mrs. J. W. Miles of Louisville, Mrs. Paul Dodson, Mrs. Charles Claggett, of Covington, James Stickles, George Wells and Miss Sue Howard, the class sponsor.

## Western "Round Up" For Party Following St. Bonaventure Game

"I believe that this rally was one of our most enjoyable ones," were the words of R. C. Hornback, AB '28, brother of Ted, and well-known Western alumnus, in regard to the "round-up" of graduates, former students, and friends, at the Terrace Room of the Kentucky Hotel, following the St. Bonaventure game in Louisville, January 3.

More than 500 Western followers gathered at the Hotel for coffee, punch, and cookies, replaying the

game, meeting old friends, and talking over old times.

The reception was also somewhat of a family reunion for Coach Hornback, in meeting his brother, Ray, and seeing two of his sisters. One sister, Mrs. Verna Britton, of New Orleans, had not seen the coach for nearly eight years.

Ticket sales in the Louisville area for the Hilltopper game were conducted in the office of Charlie Vettiner, graduate, and director of the Jefferson County Playground and Recreation Board, by Mr. Vettiner and his office staff.

Mr. Hornback, who was given the title as "Official Roundupper", made this statement after the fine Western get-together, "On behalf of the Alumni of Louisville and Jefferson County, may I express thanks and appreciation to Western, for the splendid help given us in this Western 'Round-up'. We are especially grateful for the excellent blocks of seats reserved for the Alumni."

## General Porter Visits Army ROTC

Major General Ray E. Porter, Commanding General of the 101st Airborne Division and Camp Breckinridge, Kentucky, made an informal visit Dec. 15 to Western as a representative of the Command General, Second Army, Fort George Meade, Maryland.

His visit was to demonstrate the interest of the Army in the ROTC program and to extend the relations which now exist with institutional authorities in the Second Army area. It included a courtesy call on President Paul L. Garrett, a discussion of the ROTC problems with the Professor of Military Science and Tactics, and observation of training facilities at the unit.

During his visit, he participated in the special chapel program with the football team, and immediately following the exercise, he proceeded to the Municipal Airport to witness the departure of the Hilltoppers basketball team on their annual Eastern jaunt.

Upon his departure from Bowling Green, General Porter expressed a keen satisfaction with the ROTC program and the "wonderful" co-operation given it by President Garrett and faculty.

## Rose Family Visits In Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rose and their children, Cheryl and Dick, were Christmas guests of the Roger Magee family of Homestead, Florida, where Mr. Magee teaches music in the Dade county school system. Mr. and Mrs. Rose are faculty members in the music department here; and the Magees are former music faculty members.

While in Florida the Rose family visited St. Augustine and Daytona Beach, and they took a side trip to Key West.

On the way home they were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Travelstead of Athens, Ga. Mr. Travelstead, the son of Mrs. Nelle Gooch Travelstead, of the Western music faculty, is connected with the University of Georgia music faculty.

## John B. Fuqua Is Assigned To Italy

Warrant Officer John B. Fuqua, assistant professor of military science and tactics at Western, has been ordered to Naples, Italy, for a tour of duty, it was announced January 10.

Mr. Fuqua, who has been at Western since Nov. 1, 1949, and served as adjutant of the Western ROTC Unit, plans to leave Bowling Green about March 1.

Mrs. Fuqua plans to join him in Naples later.

No replacement for Fuqua is being ordered here, inasmuch as his position is being abolished.

A native of Davie County, the officer has been in the Army 24½ years. Mr. and Mrs. Fuqua have been residing on the Nashville road.

## Births

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Gunderson announce the birth of a daughter, named Christine, on December 3. Dr. Gunderson is head of Western's music department.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston R. Acree, 413½ Calvin Blvd., Seymour, Indiana, are the parents of a son, Steven Ray, born November 19 at the Jackson County Schneck Memorial Hospital.

Capt. and Mrs. Michel S. Nelson, 1538 State Street, are the parents of a baby daughter named Debora Ann.

Capt. Nelson is an instructor in the APROTC.

## Grad Directs Taxation Dept.

Joseph Robertson, AB '46, has become director of research in the Minnesota Department of Taxation, according to a recent announcement.

Mr. Robertson has served as a research staff member of the Kentucky Department of Revenue the last two years.

Kentucky Revenue Commissioner Robert H. Alphin said Mr. Robertson was chosen for the Minnesota position from candidates from several states.

In addition to a Bachelor of Arts degree from Western, Mr. Robertson received a Master's degree at the University of Minnesota.

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# ★ ENGAGEMENTS WEDDINGS

## WESTERMAN-RIDEOUT

The marriage of Miss Ethel Westerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westerman, to Bill Rideout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Rideout, was solemnized December 23 at 8:00 p.m. at the Poole Baptist church, Poole. The Rev. James Crowell of Knoxville officiated at the ceremony. Mr. Rideout is a freshman at Western.

## BROWN-BELL

The marriage of Miss Anne Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Portland, Tennessee, to Harold Bell, U.S.M.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bell, of Mitchellville, Tennessee, was solemnized Friday afternoon, Jan. 9 at 4 p.m., in the Methodist Church, Portland, Tennessee.

Mrs. Bell is a graduate of Sumner County High school and is now a freshman at Western. After completing this semester Mrs. Bell plans to join her husband in Norfolk, Virginia.

Mr. Bell is a graduate of Sumner County High school and is now in the marines.

## BROUGHTON-PEDIGO

Miss Sue Nell Broughton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Broughton, Holland, and James Ivan Pedigo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan F. Pedigo, Bowling Green, were married December 28 at 3 p.m. in the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Holland. The double-ring ceremony was used.

The ceremony was followed by a reception in the church basement for approximately 500 guests.

Mrs. Pedigo, a graduate of Allen County High school, is now a freshman at Western, where she is a member of the Iva Scott club.

Mr. Pedigo, a graduate of Cammell High school, is now attending Western, where he is a senior and a member of the Fershing Rifles.

## GORDON-FUQUA

Miss Shirley Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gordon, Elkton, Ky., and William Robert Fuqua, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fuqua of Owensboro, were married at 4 p.m. Friday, December 26, at the Elkton Christian Church, the Rev. Garnett officiating. The church was decorated with palms, smilax and mixed bouquets of gladioli and chrysanthemums.

Following the ceremony at the church, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

After a Northern wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Fuqua returned to Bowling Green, for Mr. Fuqua to continue his pre-medical work at Western. He is a graduate of Senior High school; Mrs. Fuqua is a graduate of Elkton High school.

## McINTOSH-McGUIRE

Miss Maxine McIntosh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McIntosh of Owensboro; became the bride of Don McGuire, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McGuire of Hazard, on January 5. Mrs. McGuire is a sophomore elementary education major. Mr. McGuire is a senior pre-dental student.

## ROBEY-PEPPER

The marriage of Miss Anne Hart Robey, daughter of Mrs. Kittie Stuart Robey, of Owensboro, to A. J. Raymond Stuart Pepper, son

of Mr. and Mrs. Creed Pepper, of Magnolia, was solemnized December 20 at 5:30 p.m. in the Yellow Creek Baptist Church, Owensboro.

Mrs. Pepper received her AB from Western last year. During her senior year she was secretary of her class, Miss Senior, and is "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities for 1952". Now teaching at Utica High school, she plans to join Mr. Pepper next May.

A. J. Pepper received his master's degree from Western last year.

## GARRISON-STEWART

Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Garrison announce the marriage of their daughter, Martha Helen, to Joseph Heyden Stewart, of Gallatin, Tenn., which took place in Oak Ridge, Tenn., Sunday afternoon, Dec. 14th at 2:30 p.m. at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. Frank R. Porter, pastor of the First Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was used.

Miss Katherine Lee Dalton, of Oak Ridge, and O. E. Schow III, also of Oak Ridge, formerly of this city, were attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have returned from a southern trip and are at home at 242 N. Purdue Ave., Apt. 102, Oak Ridge, where they are both employed as chemists by Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp.

The bride is a graduate of Bowling Green High School and Western and was listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities for 1952". The bridegroom is a graduate of Gallatin High Western.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stewart and David Stewart of Gallatin, Tenn., and Mrs. Claude H. Garrison and Mrs. Lillian Gott of this city.

## DAY-PICKARD

Miss Peggy Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Mitchell Day, Henderson, and Claude E. Pickard, son of Mrs. Mary Messer, Gray, were married on December 31.

Mrs. Pickard is a sophomore majoring in elementary education. Mr. Pickard, AB '52, is doing graduate work in geography at the University of Nebraska.

## SULLIVAN-BEARD

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sullivan, of Louisville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Doris, to Tommy Beard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beard of Hardinsburg, on December 20.

Mrs. Beard is a senior elementary education major and will graduate in January. Mr. Beard, BS '52, is now enrolled in the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville.

## CLARK-CRICK

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Clark announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Lynn, to Mr. Carl Leggett Crick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Crick of Gary, Indiana.

Miss Crick is a sophomore social science major.

The wedding will take place in February in the Crofton Christian Church.

## VANCE-SPOELSTRA

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin H. Vance of Hartford announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Ann, to Mr. Arthur C. Spoelstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spoelstra of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Major and was salutatorian of her class at Hartford High school. Mr. Spoelstra is a junior majoring in geography and is a member of Western's basketball team.

No definite date for the wedding has been set.

## STEARNS-MASSENGALE

The marriage of Miss June Stearns daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Print Stearns of Monticello, and Glen C. Massengale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. E. O. Massengale, was solemnized at 4 p.m. December 27, in the First Baptist Church, Monticello. The Rev. B. O. Hope of Bowling Green officiated in the double-ring ceremony.

Miss Joan Davis of Knoxville was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Misses Maxine Watkins and Juanita Hood and Mrs. Elizabeth Puryear Nunn.

Mr. Martin Massengale served as his brother's best man. The ushers included Messrs. Howard Massengale, another brother of the

groom, Boyd Stearns, brother of the bride and Fred Ragan.

Mr. Massengale is a member of the junior class at Western. Mrs. Massengale was graduated from Western in 1952.

## BIGGERS-PEIX

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Franklin Biggers announce the engagement of their daughter, Frankie, to Jimmy Peix, son of Mrs. Essie Peix, Henderson.

Miss Biggers is a graduate of Bowling Green High school, attended Western and is now a student at the Bowling Green Business University. She is a member of the Bowling Green Girls Cotillion club.

Mr. Peix is a senior at Western where he is a member of the college football team and was listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities".

A summer wedding is planned.

## RICE-BELL

The marriage of Miss Sue Ellen Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rice of Okaloosa, and John Bell, chaplain, U. S. Navy, took place in the Bethlehem Baptist Church on December 21, 1952.

Miss Jean Hutton was the bride's only attendant, and Mr. Don Rice, brother of the bride served as best man.

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## Laura Stuart Reigns As Military Queen

Western's nineteenth annual military ball given in the gymnasium on December 12, was attended by more than 800 persons. Larry Fontine was behind the baton to furnish smooth dance music topped by the lovely vocalizations of Cathy Cardovan.

Miss Laura Stuart, a senior physical education major and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stuart of Horse Cave, was crowned queen of the ball by George Sauer, a junior physical education major of Bowling Green. Her attendants were Misses Mary Lou Rogers, Clara Lilly, Joan Curry, Mary Dean Pedigo, all of Bowling Green; Nancy Atkinson, White Plains; and Tyler Diemer, Louisville.

Miss Stuart, like the queens before her, was honored by a sabre team composed of cadets from both military units.

President and Mrs. Paul L. Garrett and Dean and Mrs. F. C. Orise were among the guests attending.

## Mrs. A. M. Stickles Succumbs

Mrs. A. M. Stickles, 65, wife of Dr. A. M. Stickles, head of the History department, died at her home, Sunday, January 4, after a long illness.

A native of Henderson, Mrs. Stickles was married to Dr. Stickles at Louisville in 1911.

Surviving in addition to her husband, are two daughters, Mrs. John Griffith, Jackson, Miss., and Miss Elizabeth Hume Stickles, Bowling Green; a son, James C. Stickles, a member of the Court of Appeals research staff at Frankfort; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Whitlatch, Lexington, and Mrs. E. T. Libbey, Louisville; and a brother, Robert T. Chambers, San Antonio, Texas.

## Rural Training School Presents Holiday Program

The Rural Training school presented a Christmas program and party at the school December 18, in the evening with Mrs. Mae Wilson Pedigo, teacher, in charge.

The program started with the Christmas story in Scripture and song presented by the fourth and fifth grades. This was followed by a reading by the first, second, and third grades. The group then sang several Christmas songs. A "Man On The Street" broadcast and a "Christmas Customs In Many Lands" followed.

About fifty parents and friends of the school children attended. However Santa Claus was a little late getting there. He had gifts and candy for every child present.

Mrs. Eugene Groome, in charge of music at the school, assisted with the program as did Martha Wade, student teacher.

John Aldridge and O. S. Hall spent part of their Christmas vacation with friends in Asheville, North Carolina. On their way to Asheville they visited Cumberland State Park and Great Smokey Mountains National Park.

## Players And Music Dept. To Present Folk Opera

The announcement that the Western Players in collaboration with the Music Department will present Kurt Weill's folk opera, "Down In The Valley," carries with it many interesting possibilities. Russell H. Miller, director of Speech activities for the English department, and Robert S. Pearson, young director in the department of music, will pool their talents to bring to Western audiences this highly popular musical. All casting will be on the basis of try-outs to which

all interested students are invited.

"Down In The Valley" has for several years been one of the most popular and most produced works in the vein of modern American music. Much of its score is based on American folk songs. Casting requirements include five soloists, seven speaking roles, and a singing chorus. Production is in the style made traditional by the cycle of American musical plays started by "Oklahoma."

In order that all persons interested in hearing the music and be-

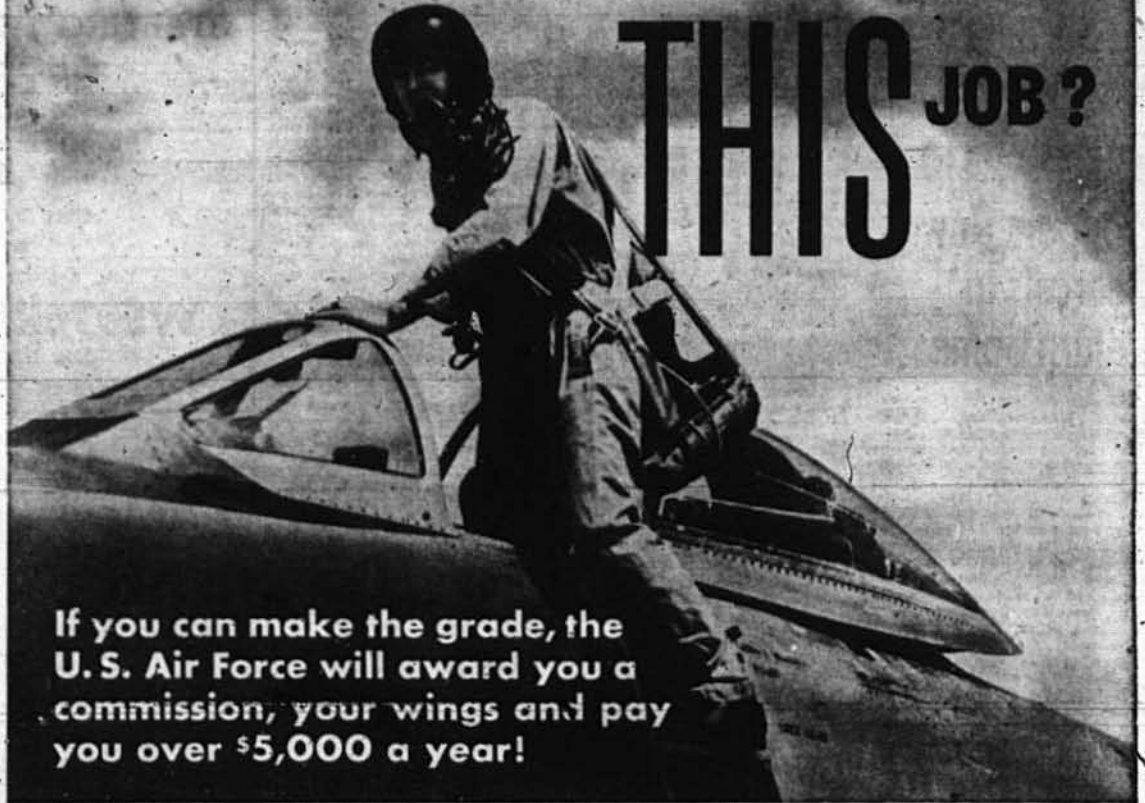
coming familiar with it before try-outs may have the opportunity to do so, the RCA Victor recordings of "Down In The Valley" have been placed in the Carnegie Room of the Music Building. These will be available for playings at 3 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday, January 21 and 22. Also, Mr. Pearson will conduct workshop sessions in the Carnegie room on Wednesday and Thursday, January 28 and 29, at 6:30.

Copies of the piano score, including the speaking parts, may be se-

cured from either Mr. Miller or Mr. Pearson. It is hoped that all students interested will take advantage of these opportunities to become familiar with the material before the try-outs. These try-outs for the casting will be held in Van Meter Auditorium on Tuesday, February 3. The production is tentatively scheduled for presentation in Van Meter on March 6.

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# 'Tops In Sports

By TOD OLIVER

The 1952-53 Hilltopper basketball team is up and running on another season. They certainly have been doing a lot more winning than they have been off, however, as their 12-2 record indicates. Averaging 79 points a game the Big Red has rolled up a total of 1106 points in 14 games.

Ed Diddle coached basketball teams have now won a total of 570 games while losing only 184 in thirty-two years here at Western. Diddle is the only coach in the history of the game to win more than 500 games at one school. This record may never be equaled.

Of course, as everyone knows, Coach Diddle has been sitting at home during the games this year because of a recent ailment. In his absence, Western has been fortunate enough to have one of the finest basketball coaches in the country taking over the reins.

The Hilltoppers set seven records while out at the All-College Tour-

## 'Toppers Down Bearcats In Return Game

Western downed the Cincinnati Bearcats last Thursday night, 84-76, at the Western Gym in a game viewed by the largest audience ever to watch a Hilltopper team play on their home court.

Playing before a packed house, the game also was witnessed by many thousands of television through WSM television cameras. With Tom Marshall, who burned the nets for 32 points for the night, and Dan King leading the way, the Toppers jumped out front, 8-1 before the crowd could settle back. At the end of four minutes of play, Western was on top 16-4, as they hit eight out of their first nine attempts from the field. This torrid pace began to slow up near the end of the first quarter, and it ended 27-17.

The Bearcats, led by Larry Imburgia, pulled back into the contest early in the second quarter. With only two minutes of the stanza gone, they closed the gap to four points, 26-26, before Marshall took-up the slack and pulled the Toppers back out to a comfortable lead. Cincy never produced any real threat after that, despite the fact that Western looked a little ragged in the opening minutes of the 3rd period.

Western went to the dressing room at halftime with a 47-38 lead, after hitting 55 per cent of their shots, a phenomenal mark.

**3rd Period Lead**  
The Toppers enjoyed their biggest lead late in the 3rd period and throughout most of the fourth, maintaining leads from 12 to 18 points.

Marshall and Dick White combined efforts to put on one of the greatest demonstrations of Western basketball possibly ever witnessed on the home floor. Marshall, on fine assists from White and the rest of the Hilltopper crew, could do no wrong. He garnered his 32 points from all over the floor—sets, jumps, hooks and tip-ins. He also aided his team's cause with many beautiful assists to give an all out performance.

White, in combination with his usual fine playmaking, brought the crowd to its feet on two occasions, when he zig-zagged the entire length of the floor for beautiful lay-ups.

The third quarter ended, 57-36, and the Bearcats never narrowed the game ending margin till the closing moments of play.

Dan King scored 15 points for the Toppers, most of them coming in the first half. White had 12 points and Spoelstra, who sat most of the second half out with four personals had eight along with Lynn Cole, who also displayed one of his best performances.

For Cincinnati, scoring honors were pretty well distributed. McGree had 17, Imburgia 16, Twyman 12 and Bain 12.

### BAD FOR PLANES

Many precautions have to be taken with airplanes which operate in tropical climates, since excessive moisture found in these regions causes rapid deterioration of aircraft.

## Western Edges Murray Quintet In OVC Tilt

The Murray Thoroughbreds threw a scare into the ranks of the Western basketball team last Saturday night by playing them a tight ball game for four quarters, before bowing out completely in the final three minutes. The Toppers still just managed to beat them by five points, as they held them off to the wire 52-57.

A more-than-capacity crowd of 5,000 fans filed into the gym with the hopes of seeing another game similar to the one played against Cincinnati a few nights before. But there was no first quarter like the one the Big Red turned in against the Bearcats, nor did they hit nine of their first ten shots. It was a typically Murray-Western struggle all the way.

Lynn Cole was the man assigned to guard Murray's replacement of Benny Percell, Howie Crittenden, all-stater from Cuba High School last year, and Cole held the speedster to three points. Crittenden was hampered by fouls, however, as he left the game late in the second quarter with four. He didn't see action again until late in the game, and he finally fouled out with just three minutes remaining. Despite the fact that Cole had enough to worry about on defense, he managed to do some offensive damage to the Breds as he dumped in 10 points for the Western cause.

Murray cut Western's nine points,

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## Hilltoppers Lose To Idaho; Take Consolation Title

A game and powerful Western basketball squad bounced back from an opening game up-set loss to capture the consolation championship of the All-College Basketball Tourney in Oklahoma City during the holidays. The tournament featured three of the top ten teams in the country.

A tired, cold Western basketball team ran into red-hot Idaho University in the first round, and the Vandals captured a 75-60 victory. The Toppers started off well to lead the quarter, but this big and tough Idaho basketball team was not to be denied. Hitting a fantastic 76 per cent of their shots from the field in the second half, Idaho pulled away

to record the biggest upset of the tourney.

The second game of the tourney for Western saw the Toppers play what was, perhaps, their finest game of the year. The Toppers decisively trounced Tulsa University, 79-70. Tulsa had just beaten the Toppers opening game conquerors, Idaho, the previous week. The Toppers were great on the boards and in command of the shooting eye that had failed them the day before. Marshall, King, and Spoelstra dominated play with their rebounding, and gave White

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### Tickets On Sale At Howard Jewelers

Tickets for the Harlem Globetrotters appearance here March 9, are on sale at Howard Jewelers Inc., 908 State St.

The tickets are scaled at \$2.50, \$2 and \$1.50.

The doubleheader attraction is to be staged at Bowling Green High's gymnasium. It is sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Norman Lipmann, committee chairman, said a capacity of 5,500 has been set for the gym that night.

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## Hilltoppers Lose

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and Monie Beard, their senior guard opportunities to penetrate the Tulsa defense. Beard, playing in his first two games of the season in this tourney, was a defensive stand-out and also contributed to the scoring.

The Toppers hit their stride in the finals of the consolation bracket against once-beaten Penn State. When their fast-break wasn't there, superb passing by Marshall and White literally tore the celebrated Penn State zone defense apart. Spoelstra paced the Western scorers with Marshall and White close behind. The Hilltopper bench also played an important role by continuing the point spurge when the starters left the game in the last quarter. The great team victory broke almost every scoring record for the seventeen-year-old tourney.

Western received additional honors at the consolation of the tournament. Three players, more than from any other school, were named to the all-tourney team selected by sports-writers and officials. White, Spoelstra and King were the players so honored. Marshall, Beard and Cole were mentioned prominently in the balloting for the most valuable player. This compliment to the team's performance was rendered when an invitation was extended for the Toppers to return next year.

Kathryn Smith, AB '52, is teaching English in the public high school at Rolla, Mo.

Miss Smith recently attended the Missouri State Teachers Convention at Kansas City in which Hal Boyle was one of the principal speakers.

## Bonnies Slain By Western

St. Bonaventure, the team ranked fourteenth in the nation and holder of three successive victories over Western basketball teams, became the victim of a great all-court performance by a fired Hilltopper squad and fell, 94-63. The game was witnessed by a capacity crowd in the Jefferson County Armory at Louisville on January 3. The win was the ninth of the season for the Toppers and their most outstanding.

Western opened fast to lead by as many as twelve points early in the game, but the Bonnies came back in the second quarter to take a brief lead to their own. The Toppers countered with three quick baskets just before the half to take a 39-33 margin at the intermission.

It was in the second half that the Hilltoppers literally exploded to out-distance the bewildered Bonns by 25 points in the final 20 minutes of play. The fast-breaking Toppers solved the Bonnie offense and fashioned a pulsating attack of their own to completely dominate play in those last two quarters.

Almost every member of the Western squad broke into the scoring column in the great team victory. Dan King contributed a game high 26 points, with Marshall, Spoelstra, Cole, and White following the big red-head in the scoring column.

The important victory cemented Western's position as one of the top ten teams in the nation, and marked the end of a string of eight straight games on the road.

## Coach Ed Diddle Improving

Friends of Coach Ed Diddle will be glad to hear of his continued improvement following a heart attack suffered in his home last October.

Within the last few days, Coach Diddle has been seen frequently making his usual rounds of the campus. He has conducted some basketball practice sessions and recently kept a speaking engagement for the Bowling Green Lions Club.

## Western Edges Murray Quintet

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which they held at one time during the second half, to a 53-52 count with but 3:10 to go in the game. At this point the Hilltoppers were trying to stall as much as possible until Cole hit a one-hander from the corner, and Tom Marshall, high for the night with 18 points, dropped one in on a drive in. With 2:30 to go Cole added two free-throws and that was just about the ball game.

The game slowed down again at

this point, but Murray sneaked up to within four points again before the horn sounded the end of the game.

Murray's ace player Garrett Beasher opened the game as the Nation's number 19 scorer with an average of 25.7 points a game. Art Spoelstra, who had been practicing the defense he was going to use against Beasher all week, held the 31 year old senior to 16 points. Spoelstra was second high for the Toppers with 17 tallies.

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## Debate Squad

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of the Congress Debating club originated the non-decision practice debate for the team.

Practice debates were also given before the Student Forum at its last program of the semester on Tuesday at 4 p.m. in the 121st Theater.

Western only has two members of last year's team returning to the arena of mental gymnastics. They are Thomas T. Pogue, the 1952-53 team captain, and William E. Bivin, acting as co-captain. The other members of the 1952-53 team include Harmon Naberhuis, Catherine Hopper, James B. Jones, and James Bryant of Bowling Green.

Russell H. Miller, director of Western's speech activities, is serving his third year as coach of the debating team.

Thomas Pogue, team captain, in expressing the team's sentiments in opening the season said, "Thinking that discussion and debate of our many current problems is fundamental to an informed citizenry of a democratic nation, we are opening our season for the third time since the revival of intercollegiate debating at Western. For the first time since the team's re-organization in 1950, the team has had the chance to appear in chapel before the combined faculty and student body. The warm support we received on this occasion has shown the team that the many extra-curricular hours spent in research and practice, have been worthy of our efforts. With continued active support in the coming debates, Western will be striving to better its record of last year of only one loss."

## Sanford Cox Writes Second Workshop Presentation

The second student play of Western Players was presented Wednesday night at the regularly scheduled meeting of the club.

"The Troubles of Young Love," a comedy in one act, written and directed by Sanford Cox, a sophomore from Louisville, was the program. The action of the play centers around a girl never seen by the audience.

The complications that arise when two brothers find they have a date with the same girl for the same night, time and place, affects not only their whole family, but also a prospective member.

## Foundation

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of dollars into collections of the Ky. Museum and Library. This was discontinued in 1939 when the Kentucky Building and Collections were taken over by the state.

During the thirty years of operation of the College Heights Foundation there have been 12,500 loans to date, amounting to \$400,000.00. For the past six years the foundation has averaged about 1,000 loans a year. The books of the foundation are audited each year by a Certified Public Accountant.

The College Heights Foundation is located in the basement of the Kentucky Building and any student desiring a loan to help further his education is invited to see Mr. Seward. Mr. Seward said, "I will be more than glad to talk over any loan that a student may want to make."

## Gwenda Davis

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Bowling Green Shrine Club for the benefit of their local charity program. All profits from the presentation will be used for this purpose.

"Ladies in Retirement" is a three act melodrama by Edward Percy and Reginald Doherty, who have distinguished themselves in the writing of psychological mystery plays. It was chosen because of the excellent contrast "Ladies in Retirement" offers to "Father of the Bride" the most recent offering of the local group.

The authors build the suspense of their highly entertaining plot on the psychology of human relationships as it is upset when an ingratiating ne'er-do-well nephew drops into the refuge of an interesting group of "ladies in retirement."

Miss Davies, who plays the lead, comes to Western as an exchange teacher from Brynnyon, Restways, Porthcawl, south Wales. Her background in theater includes a diploma in Speech and Drama from the Guildhall School of Music and Drama in London and work at the University College, Cardiff, Wales.

## Pershing Rifles Entertains

The Pershing Rifles Company B-1 of Western ROTC entertained with a Christmas party at Ferrell's Restaurant for approximately 60 members and guests just before the holidays. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening.

Christmas decorations were used in the room and on the refreshment table.

## College High Selects Mr. And Miss Student

The four classes of College High School have made their annual selections for the honor of "Mr. Student," and "Miss Student." They are: Joe Perkins, "Mr. Senior," and Shirley Irish, "Miss Senior;"

Jack Norman, "Mr. Junior," and Martha Ann Stagg, "Miss Junior;" Charles Miller, "Mr. Sophomore," and Terry Ann Mayers, "Miss Sophomore;" Mike Batsel, "Mr. Freshman," and Nell Dalton, "Miss Freshman."

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